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Gentlemen:

This letter is in response to a letter from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), dated September 15, 1992, and a letter from the Colorado Department of Health (CDH), dated December 18, 1992, regarding the delay of Phase I RFI/RI activities at the 750 and 904 Pads located at Operable Unit (OU) No. 10. In the Rocky Flats Plant (RFP) Interagency Agreement (IAG), the 904 and 750 Pads are identified as Individual Hazardous Substance Sites (IHSS's) 213 and 214, respectively. The IAG delivery date for the Draft Phase I RFI/RI Report for OU 10 is August 25, 1994. We wish to inform you that Phase I RFI/RI activities at these IHSS's will not be completed in time for incorporation into this draft report. These activities will be delayed as a result of (1) the pads will be needed to implement the IM/IRA at OU4, and (2) the lack of a disposal site allowing the waste to be removed. Both of these issues have been discussed with you in detail in connection with monthly Solar Ponds Remediation Project meetings and correspondence. Similarly, all subsequent IAG milestones for these IHSS's will be impacted by our inability to characterize the nature and extent of contamination.

We are proposing a modification to work per Part 32 of the Rocky Flats Plant Interagency Agreement (IAG). This modification will consist of the transfer of IHSS's 213 and 214 from OU 10 to OU 4. Since these IHSS's are crucial to the success of the OU 4 IM/IRA, we believe that this transfer will enable us to more effectively manage this effort. After your approval of the IHSS transfer, we will modify the RFI/RI workplans at OU's 4 and 10. The modification for OU 10 will be to delete all references to IHSS's 213 and 214 from the Phase I RFI/RI Workplan. With regard to OU 4, a technical memorandum will be prepared for these IHSS's based on the Final Phase I RFI/RI Workplan for OU 10. This technical memorandum will be implemented once the waste has been removed.

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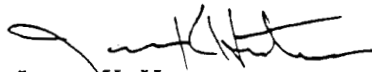
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Once IHSS's 213 and 214 have been formally transferred, we will initiate discussions regarding extensions for associated IAG milestones, if required based on the more appropriate scope.

Questions or concerns regarding this letter should be addressed to Bruce Thatcher of my staff at 966-3532.

Sincerely,



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